The filing fee is calculated on the basis of the claims existing in the prior application as amended by 1 and/or 2 above.

## **CLAIMS**

| Basic Fee                     |    |      | _ |             |       |    | \$375       |      |      | \$750 |  |
|-------------------------------|----|------|---|-------------|-------|----|-------------|------|------|-------|--|
| Total Claims                  | 15 | - 20 | = | 0           | x 09  | =  | \$          | x 18 | =    | \$    |  |
| Ind. Claims                   | 4  | - 03 | = | 1           | x 42  | =  | \$ 42.00    | x 84 | =    |       |  |
| [ ] Multiple Dependent Claims |    |      |   | <u>+140</u> | =     | \$ | <u>+280</u> | =    | \$   |       |  |
|                               |    |      |   |             | Total |    | \$417.00    | To   | otal | \$    |  |

- 3. [] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 06-1358. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
- 4. [X] This application is filed under Rule 53(f) and therefore the [X] Filing Fee [] Declaration is not enclosed. All authorization to charge Deposit Account No. 06-1358 for 35 C.F.R. 1.16 fees previously made is revoked.
- 5. **[X]** A check in the amount of \$465.00 is enclose in connection with a Petition for a Three (3) Month Extension of Time with Fee in the parent application. The Commissioner is authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 06-1358 for any deficiencies in connection with the Petition for Three (3) Month Extension of Time.
- 6. [X] Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence:

This is a continuation of application Serial No. 09/813,915, filed on March 22, 2001, entitled SELF-ALIGNING CUTTER HUB ASSEMBLY. A verified statement claiming small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 was filed in this application and is claimed by way of the attached declaration.

- 8. [ ] Priority of application Serial No. \_\_\_\_\_, filed on \_\_\_\_ in \_\_\_\_ in \_\_\_\_ is claimed under 35 U.S.C. 119.
  - a) [ ] Certified copy is on file in prior application, Serial No. \_\_\_\_\_\_.
  - b) [ ] Certified copy filed herewith.
- 9. [X] The prior application is assigned of record to Gala Industries, Inc.
- 10. [X] The Power of Attorney in the prior application is to at least one of the following:

(19,007); WILLIAM E. PLAYER (31,409); YOON S. HAM (45,307); and NATHANIEL A. HUMPHRIES (22,772).

|         | a) [ X ] The power appears in the original papers of the prior application.  |   |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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|         | b) [ ] Since the power does not appear in the original papers, a copy of the power in the prapplication is enclosed. |   |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 11.     | [X]  | Petition to extend the life of the above prior application to at least the date hereof  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|         | NOTE   | (One box) [X] is being concurrently filed in (must be) that prior application. (X'd) [] was previously filed in that application. [] is not necessary.  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| time fo | sed, thi   | tition for Extension of Time is necessary and the Petition and/or the check is not will act as the Petition and applicant herewith petitions the Commissioner to extend the nse and charge any fees necessary under 37 CFR 1.17 (a)(1)-(5) to Deposit Account |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 12.     | [X]  | Original drawings as filed and a copy of a Request for Approval of Drawings Changes filed in the above Serial No. <u>09/813,915</u> , filed in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on November 26, 2002 of FIGURE 1 (Prior Art) are enclosed herewith.       |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 13.     | [X]  | Enclosed is a copy of the Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) and PTO 1449 which was filed in Serial No. <u>09/813,915</u> , filed <u>March 22, 2001</u> , which is relied on for an earlier filing date under 35 U.S.C. 120.                              |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|         | a) [   | More than one IDS was filed in the above Serial No. and copies of each IDS, less the documents, are enclosed.   |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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March 22, 2001 which is relied on for an earlier filing date under 35 U.S.C. 120.

a) [ ] More than one PTO 892 issued in the above Serial No. \_\_\_\_\_ and copies of each PTO 892, less the documents, are enclosed.

Enclosed is a copy of the PTO 892 which issued in Serial No. 09/813,915, filed

15. [ ] Also enclosed is:

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Enclosed is a copy of the prior application including the Declaration as originally filed, application, namely Serial No 09/813,915, filed March 22, 2001. The entire disclosure of the prior application is hereby incorporated by reference.

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